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In Re Application Of:

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For: Simulation Of Mechanical Reels

On A Gaming Machine

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to examining the subject application, please enter the following amendments.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add the following new claims 51-54.

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51. (New) A gaming machine, comprising:

a processor for randomly selecting an outcome from a plurality of outcomes in response to receiving a wager;

an image display device having a surface for producing images, said images

corresponding to said selected outcome of said plurality of outcomes; and
a plurality of optical fibers have first ends optically coupled to said surface of said

image display device and seconds ends for displaying said images to a

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